

Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SEOUL
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 827
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USCG PASS USGAO FOR SHELEY

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: AGAO, MARR, MASS, KS
SUBJ: VISIT OF GAO OFFICIALS

REF: STATE 104319

1. EMBASSY IS HAPPY TO OFFER ANY ASSISTANCE POSSIBLE TO VISITING GAO OFFICIALS. ALTHOUGH TIMING OF VISIT PROPOSED IN REFTEL IS CONVENIENT TO EMBASSY, WE QUESTION WHETHER, IN LIGHT OF PRESIDENT'S RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT MODIFYING TROOP WITHDRAWAL SCHEDULE, VISIT AT THIS TIME WOULD BE AS BENEFICIAL TO GAO AS ONE AT A LATER DATE WHEN WE WILL HAVE A BETTER PICTURE OF HOW THE MODIFIED WITHDRAWAL WILL LOOK. MODIFICATION HAS NECESSITATED REVISION OF ESTIMATE HERE OF REQUIRED WITHDRAWAL ACTIONS AND HAS RAISED SOME ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS CONCERNING WITHDRAWAL IMPLEMENTATION WHICH MAY NOT BE RESOLVED PRIOR TO PROPOSED ARRIVAL DATE.

2. SHOULD GAO GROUP PREFER TO ADHERE TO MAY 16-20 SCHEDULE, WE WILL OF COURSE PROVIDE SUPPORT AS REQUESTED REFTEL. RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE AT TOKYU HOTEL. CHOSUN AND PLAZA ARE BOOKED FOR MAY 16-19 PERIOD.

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3. AS THE PROPOSED SUBJECT MATTER MORE DIRECTLY CONCERNS USFK, THEY RECOMMEND THAT THEY, RATHER THAN EMBASSY, HOST GAO TEAM. PLEASE ADVISE.

4. THUS FAR USFK HAS NOT RECEIVED ANY DIRECT NOTICE OF GAO TEAM'S VISIT. EMBASSY AGREES THAT USFK WOULD

BE MORE APPROPRIATE HOST.
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